The Caledonian Mercury.

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Theatre-Royal.

On MONDAY, Feb. 5. will be presented,
A Comedy, written by Mr REYNOLDS, author of Notoriety, Dramatist, &c. called
CHEAP LIVING.
To which will be added, a Farce, called
THE MERRY MOURNERS.
By desire of the Right Hon. the Countess of BALCARRAS,
On WEDNESDAY, Feb. 7. will be presented,
A new Manuscript Play, never acted here, called
THE HEIR AT LAW.

☞ Mr KEMBLE has just received a new Manuscript Play, with which he has been favoured by the Proprietor of Covent-Garden, called SECRETS WORTH KNOWING, written by Mr MORTON, author of A Cure for the Heart-Ache, and performing in London with equal success.
It will be acted here on Wednesday Feb. 14.

Mr KEMBLE
Presents his respects to the Public. He assures the Public, That THE CASTLE SPECTRE will be brought forward so soon as the appropriate scenery, dresses, and decorations, *which will be all entirely new*, can be got ready. On this occasion, he takes the liberty of declaring, That, even on a moderate calculation, the splendid manner in which he means this piece shall be represented must be attended with an expence far exceeding any other Play that ever was brought forward in this kingdom; and, although labouring under various disadvantages unknown to any of his predecessors, he is resolved to convince a candid Public, that he is not unmindful of the great support he has experienced from their indulgence in his official capacity. Actuated therefore by gratitude and inclination, he hopes to prove himself not entirely unworthy of the flattering patronage which has been bestowed upon him.
The scenery designed by Mr NARSMITH and painted by himself, with the assistance of Mr COOPER, &c.
The subjects of the new scenery will be explained in future advertisements.
Those Ladies who have already taken places for the first night of THE CASTLE SPECTRE are respectfully informed, That, on account of the necessary preparations, the Play cannot be acted in less than three weeks from this date (February 3d) the plan of the Boxes will be immediately opened, for the first, second, and third nights representation.

This day was Published,
By BELL & BRADFUTE, W. CREECH, and E. BALFOUR,
(Price One Shilling)
AN EXPERIMENT IN EDUCATION,
MADE AT THE
MALE ASYLUM OF MADRAS,
Suggesting a system by which a School or Family may teach itself, under the superintendence of the Master or Parent,
By the Rev. Dr ANDREW BELL,
Late one of the Directors, and Superintendant of that Establishment, Chaplain of Fort St George, A. M. F. A. S. Soc.

Just Published—Price 7s. 6d.
THE SCOTCH FORCING GARDENER:
Being a compendious Treatise on the forcing of

Asparagus,	Melons,	Pine Apples,
Cucumbers,	Mushrooms,	and
Cherries,	Nectarines,	Strawberries.
Grapes,	Peaches,	

Together with instructions on the management of the Greenhouse, Hot-walls, &c.—Illustrated with five copperplates, containing ten different designs of hot-houses, hot-walls, &c. on the newest and most improved construction.
With an Appendix, containing hints on the training of fruit-tree borders; planting and training fruit trees against walls, espaliers, &c.—Also, Hints on the depth and nature of garden land; manures, and their application; culture and rotation of crops, &c.—The whole adapted to the climate of Scotland.
By WALTER NICOL,
Late Gardener at Wemyss Castle.
Sold for the Author, by Messrs. Dicksons and Co. seedsmen; Creech, and Bell and Bradfute, booksellers, Edinburgh.—Macaslan and Auslin, seedsmen, Glasgow; and Dickson and Brown, seedsmen, Perth.
*** Orders, addressed to W. Nicol, care of Messrs. Dicksons and Co. seedsmen, Edinburgh, will be directly attended to.

This day are Published,
In two vols. octavo, price 14s. in boards,
LITERARY MEMOIRS
OF
LIVING AUTHORS OF GREAT BRITAIN,
Arranged according to an Alphabetical Catalogue of their Names; and including a list of their works, with opinions upon their literary character.
——*et Phabo digna locuti,*
Quique sui memores alios fecere merendo:
Omnibus his nivea cinguntur tempora vitta. VIRG.
London, printed for R. Faulder, New Bond Street.—Sold also by T. Egerton, Whitehall; and W. Richardson, Royal Exchange.

SALE OF
WOOLLEN DRAPERY GOODS, &c.
(Greatly below prime cost)
At the SHOP, No. 19, South Bridge Street, EDINBURGH.
THE Copartnery of SHAND AND NEILSON being dissolved, by Mr Shand's retiring from business, it becomes absolutely necessary immediately to wind up the Company concern,—therefore their extensive STOCK of WOOLLEN DRAPERY and MENS MERCERY GOODS are now *selling off* without reserve, *greatly below prime cost.*
This *Assortment* contains every thing that is NEW and FASHIONABLE, and, besides a variety of other articles, consists of the following, viz.—
BEST SUPERFINE CLOTHS, in great variety, containing all the *newest* colours.
LILESIAS, SUPERFINE and SECOND CASSIMERES, white black, coloured and mixt, striped and plain.
SEVERY CLOTHS, KERSEY DUFFLES, and a great variety of YARD WIDES, many of them of very superior qualities.
SWANDOWNS, QUILTINGS, and many other FANCY GOODS for *vests.*
Fancy striped VELVETEENS and CORDS, THICKSETTS, and Manchester *Goods* in general.
Variety of SILK, WORSTED, and COTTON HOSE, particularly a very full assortment of SHETLAND HOSE, gray and white, from 18. to 30s. per pair.
N. B. The above Goods must speedily be turned into cash;—and, as they were selected with *much care* for a customary trade, and the prices affixed *uncommonly low*, they are highly deserving of public attention.

EDINBURGH FRIENDLY INSURANCE,
AGAINST LOSSES BY FIRE.
2d FEBRUARY 1798,
THE Annual Premiums and King's Duty of Insurances due at this Office, at the present term of Candlemas, are requested to be paid up immediately; as, by neglecting the payment fifteen days after the term, the benefit of the policy expires.
Persons insured will please therefore send to the office to pay the same, or to the agents to whom they have been in use to pay, where receipts are granted, and orders received for new Insurances on Houses, Furniture, Goods, &c. from loss or damage by fire, conform to the Society's Printed Proposals, of which copies may be had at the Office gratis, or at their agents at the following places, viz.—
Mess. John Craw, writer in Haddington.
Robert Banks, jun. writer in Stirling.
John Cameron, merchant in Glasgow.
John Morson, merchant in Greenock.
John Patison, manufacturer in Paisley.
George Rodger, writer in Selkirk.
John Aitkin, jun. writer in Dumfries.
Peter Duff, merchant in Perth.
John Low, advocate in Aberdeen.
James Imlach, merchant in Banff.
James Dobie, merchant in Beith.
Andrew Christie, writer in Cupar Fife.
Andrew Reid, writer in Jedburgh.
James Telfer, writer in Campbeltown.
Charles Bruce, writer in Montrose.

Just Landed,
A Choice Parcel of New French or St Catharine PLUMBS, New Muscatell RAISINS, all in fine large clusters for dessert.
PARMASAN CHEESES, of the Weeping Honey Comb kind.—To be had at
BAXTER's ITALIAN WAREHOUSE.

THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE.
MR FULTON most respectfully thanks his friends for the very liberal encouragement with which, especially *for* these last seven years, he has been favoured.
Finding the labour of teaching two Public Schools to be rather oppressive, he has resolved to resign his School in the Old Town on the 31st of March next, and to arrange his business in the New Town as follows:
PUBLIC SCHOOL.
Attendance, in summer, from nine till twelve—and, in winter, from ten till one o'clock.
Fee, Half a Guinea per Quarter.
PRIVATE SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.
Attendance, from one till three o'clock.
Fee, A Guinea per Quarter.
☞ Mr FULTON will communicate his method of teaching to Tutors or Governesses, on moderate terms.

BRITISH STATE LOTTERY,
Begins Drawing on Monday the 26th February 1798.
CAPITAL PRIZES.

6	prizes of	L. 20,000	5	of	L. 2,000
5	—	10,000	11	—	1,000
5	—	5,000	20	—	500

&c. &c. &c.
THE ORIGINAL TICKETS AND STAMPED SHARES,
Are Selling in Variety of Numbers,
BY
SCOTT, SMITH, STEIN & CO.
ROYAL EXCHANGE, EDINBURGH;
By whom were sold, in the Irish Lottery just finished,
Ticket No. 8,447, a prize of TEN THOUSAND POUNDS, on the 15th day of drawing,
Ticket No. 27,612, a prize of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS, on the 21st day,
Ticket No. 6,917, a Prize of Eight Pounds, but as *last drawn*, entitled to
FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS,
As well as many CAPITAL PRIZES in the preceding Lotteries.
Money for Prizes as soon as drawn.
Tickets and Shares registered at 6d. per Number.

BRITISH STATE LOTTERY, 1797,
Begins drawing the 26th February 1798.
CAPITAL PRIZES.

6	Prizes of	L. 20,000	5	Prizes of	2,000
5	of	10,000	81	of	1,000
5	of	5,000	20	of	500

THE TICKETS ARE SOLD,
And Divided into
HALF, QUARTER, EIGHTH, AND SIXTEENTH SHARES,
BY
JOHN WHITE AND CO.
At their State Lottery Office,
OPPOSITE TO THE TRON CHURCH, EDINBURGH,
Where, in preceding Lotteries, a number of
CAPITAL PRIZES HAVE BEEN SOLD.
February 1.—PRESENT PRICE OF SHARES.

Half,	L. 6	8	0	Eighth,	1 13 0
Quarter,	3	5	0	Sixteenth,	0 17 0

Registering 6d. each Number.
Commissions with cash, or bills at a short date, executed on the same terms as if personally present.—Schemes *Gratis.*

☞ Clubs, Societies, and individual Purchasers in the Lottery, are requested to compare the present Scheme with any that has gone before, and they will find it unquestionably far superior——notwithstanding which, the Tickets and Shares are sold at a much lower rate than they have been for these twenty years past.

ENGLISH STATE LOTTERY, 1797.
Begins drawing February 26. 1798.
THE TICKETS, HALVES, QUARTERS, EIGHTHS, and SIXTEENTHS, are now selling in great variety of Numbers, and on the lowest terms,
The money for the Prizes paid on demand, by
HORNSBY AND CO. STOCK-BROKERS,
At their old established State Lottery Office, (licensed pursuant to act of Parliament,) No. 26, Cornhill, opposite the Royal Exchange, London; also at Messrs Trewman and Sons, Exeter; and at Mr Thomas's Billinge's, Liverpool.

SCHEME.

No. of Prizes.	Value of each.		Total Value.
4 of	L. 20,000		L. 80,000
1 –	20,000	*First Drawn Blank 15th Day*	20,000
1 –	20,000	*First Drawn Ditto 26th Day*	20,000
3 –	10,000		30,000
1 –	10,000	*First Drawn Blank 9th Day*	10,000
1 –	10,000	*First Ditto ..... 20th Day*	10,000
4 –	5,000		20,000
1 –	5,000	*First Drawn Blank 4th Day*	5,000
5 –	2,000		10,000
10 –	1,000		10,000
1 –	1,000	*First drawn Blank*	1,000
20 –	500		10,000
50 –	100		5,000
100 –	50		5,000
16,500 –	16		264,000
16,702	Prizes		L. 500,000
38,298	Blanks		
55,000	Tickets.		

☞ Orders accompanied with good bills, payable at sight or of a short date, will be punctually attended to.—And country correspondents are requested not to send money in their letters, but to procure of the Postmaster orders on London. Letters (post-paid) duly answered, and Schemes gratis.
All Shares sold at this Office will be stamped, agreeable to act of Parliament, with the words "State Lottery Stamp Office."——Bank, India, and South Sea Stock, with their several Annuities, and all kinds of Government Securities bought and sold by Commission.

SALE OF WRIGHT's SHOP, &c.
To be SOLD by auction, within John's Coffeehouse, on Monday 5th February 1798, at two afternoon,
LOT I. A Large and convenient WRIGHT's SHOP for twelve benches, Dwelling-house, Counting-room, Covered Timber Shade and Saw-pit, with a Wood-yard, all inclosed, situated in Lawson's Garden, Croscausey, within a few minutes walk of the Cross. Also,
LOT II. An AREA there for building, about 50 feet in front, with the privileges of back-ground, mutual gable, and stair of three storeys. Access to the wright's shop, &c. at Whitsunday, and to the area immediately.
John Laing, wright there, will show the premisses and inform as to particulars. And the rights and articles of sale will be shown by John Wright, writer in Edinburgh.

To be LET, and entered to at the term of Martinmas first, 1798,
THE Farm of HILLTOWN of BURLEY, lying in the parish of Orwell, and shire of Kinross, as presently possessed by Michael Glass.
Offers in writing only, may be given in to James Laidlaw, writer to the signet, at Edinburgh; and such offers as are not accepted, will be concealed, if desired.—No offer will be received after the 1st May next.

—This day is published—
By G. PARTON, Parliament close, & sold by the other booksellers,
CAMPERDOWN,
AN EULOGY ON THE ILLUSTRIOUS ADMIRAL.
Price 1s. sine—6d. course paper.
N. B.—Unforseen circumstances have prevented this Moral Portraiture of the celebrated Character appearing sooner. It is hoped that it will be still acceptable. The exhibition of excellence can never be unseasonable.—Engraving gratifies the Eye; writing, the Mind.

ROYAL BANK,
EDINBURGH, 1st February, 1798.
THE COURT of DIRECTORS of the ROYAL BANK of SCOTLAND give notice, That a GENERAL COURT of PROPRIETORS will be held at their Office in Edinburgh, on Tuesday 6th day of March next, at two o'clock afternoon, for the Election of Governor, Deputy Governor, and Directors for the year ensuing, pursuant to the Charter; and lists of the Proprietors will be delivered on Tuesday the 20th curt. and thereafter at the usual hours of attendance at the Bank; and in order to make out the said lists, no transfer of stock will be made from Tuesday the 13th curt. till Tuesday the 6th of March next, both inclusive.
JA. INNES, Sec.

—CARD.—
MRS DICK, relict of WILLIAM DICK, Woollen Draper, near the Cross Well, returns her grateful thanks to the Friends and Customers of her deceased husband, for that support he experienced during the time he was in business—takes the liberty of acquainting them, that the business will be continued for behoof of herself and infant children, and solicits a continuance of their and the public favour, to merit which every exertion shall be made.
The present stock of Goods, which is extensive, consists of a Fashionable Assortment of Superfine and Fancy Cloths, Vest and Breeches Stuffs, and every other article in the Woollen Drapery line.

—CARD.—
F. DAVIDSON, Confectioner, returns sincere thanks for the liberal patronage he has experienced from the Nobility, Gentry, and others; begs leave to mention, that he has assumed as a Partner M. GLADWIN, Ornament Maker and Parterre Worker, from the house of Wetten and Sons, confectioners to their Majesties, and his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, London.
Davidson and Gladwin flatter themselves, that from their experience and practice in the two first houses in the metropolis, joined to the strictest attention to business, and with an anxious desire to please, they may hope to merit a continuance of public favour.
N. B. Frames done in Marmotinto, to any design, an art entirely new in Scotland. Ornaments, Affect Mouetts, and Baskets for decorating the table in a superior stile of elegance.
Edinburgh, No. 4 Blair Street.

NAVAL STORES FOR SALE,
AT His MAJESTY's YARD, LEITH.
To be Sold by public auction, about the *middle* of this month, (the particular day to be afterwards advertised),
A Very considerable quantity of decayed CORDAGE, JUNK, SAILS, ANCHORS, &c. &c. returned from his Majesty's ships on this station.
Catalogues will be ready to be delivered by the 8th instant, and the stores may be viewed after that day during the common working hours of the Yard, by applying to
JOHN THOMSON, Naval Officer.
Naval Office, Leith, Feb. 1. 1798.

STAVES.
To be Sold by Public Roup, on Thursday the 8th February, in the Timber Bush, Leith, at 12 o'clock noon,
FOrty-Four Thousand BARREL STAVES, of the best Quality.
Five Hundred PIPE Ditto.

A CAPITAL WELL-FREQUENTED INN
TO LET.
To be LET for the space of 14 years, from & after the term of Whitsunday next,
A WELL-frequented and commodious INN or TAVERN, in a most centrical situation in the city of Edinburgh, consisting of a handsome hall-room, supper-room, eleven other rooms, besides kitchen, vaulted cellars and other conveniencies, all adapted specially for the business of a vintner on an extensive and genteel scale: and as the present possessor means to retire from business at Whitsunday next, any person whom this advertisement suits, would find that circumstance of considerable advantage, as an opportunity would thereby be afforded of continuing the established and respectable business which has been carried on in the house for a number of years past.
For the accommodation of the tenant, he may have such parts of the furniture as have been fitted for, and at present in the house, upon a fair valuation.
The entry to the premises is proposed to be at Whitsunday next, or sooner as may be agreed on; the rent of the premises is moderate, and as the reputation of the house for good entertainment has been many years established, an opportunity like the present seldom occurs, whether for a person already in business and wishing to extend it, or for one newly commencing business, in either of which cases, the opportunities of public encouragement and of success are very evident.
Farther particulars may be learned from Nathaniel Grant, Solicitor, New street, to whom applications are requested to be made.

TO BE SOLD OR LET,
THE HOUSE at Hopepark, and Ground amounting to about six acres, belonging to Baron Cockburn. The house will be let with or without the ground.
Also to LET, the House of CAROLINE PARK, with such quantity of ground in grass as may be required. Likewise some grass inclosures.
For particulars, apply to Baron Cockburn, or T. Gloag, W. S.
Not to be repeated.

TO BE LET,
And entered to at Whitsunday next
THAT large and commodious HOUSE in the SOCIETY, No. 8, presently possessed by Mrs. Crawford of Carronbank. It consists of twelve fire-rooms, kitchen, pantry, vaulted cellars below the house, back court, water pipe, and the use of a green.

ALSO TO BE LET,
The HOUSE in Argyle Square, north-west corner, presently possessed by Dr James Hamilton. It consists of six fire rooms, kitchen, servant's room, water-pipe, and cellars.
Further particulars may be had, by applying to Miss Charlotte Campbell, No. 7. Society.

CARRONHALL COAL FOR SEA SALE.
THE Public, and particularly the Owners and Masters of Vessels engaged in the Coal Trade, are desired to be informed, That the Great of Carronhall Main and Splint Coal, are now wholly sold to Sea, a constant and regular supply, therefore, may be depended on at CARRONSHORE, which lies about one mile above Grangemouth. The superior quality of Carronhall Coal, is so universally known, it is unnecessary to say any thing on the subject.
Ship Masters will please take notice, that a regulation has lately been adopted, attended with the greatest advantage in the loading of coals at Carronshore, for the coasting trade. To wit, their vessels are now cleared out of Grangemouth in place of Borrowstounness as formerly, by which much time and trouble is saved to shipmasters.
The usual credit of one month is allowed on giving a good bill, or 10 per cent. discount on that period for ready money.
For information as to other particulars, application may be made to George Caie, the manager at Carronhall farm, by Falkirk.

TO PERSONS WISHING TO ENTER INTO BUSINESS.
A WELL-FREQUENTED SHOP, in the SPIRIT, WINE and TEA TRADE, the Partners of which are retiring from business, wish to dispose of their Stock in trade, which is not extensive, and Utensils, at a fair valuation. A good opportunity now offers to any person wishing to commence in that line, as they will enter into immediate possession of every requisite for carrying on the business, and also a regular set of customers.
Twelve months credit will be given on finding proper security.
Those who think such a line might suit them, may apply to Robert Bruce, writer, Royal Bank Close, Edinburgh.
Edin. 7th Jan. 24. 1798.

A ROBBERY.
WHEREAS, on Wednesday night the 17th curt. between the hours of eleven and two o'clock next morning, the CLERK's OFFICE belonging to James Robertson, BLACK BULL INN, was broke into, the Desk Lock picked, and Money to a very considerable amount carried off: The Money consisted mostly of Ten Pound Notes of the Bank of Scotland, some Ten Pound Notes of Paisley and Newcastle Notes, and several Five Pound and other smaller Notes of different Banks, together with a green Striped Silk Purse, containing a few Guineas, a Seven Shilling Gold Piece of the new coinage, some Pocket Silver Pieces, one of which is a small Coin with the Empress of Russia's head; a French Assignat of 300 livres, with the head of the late King of France engraved on it; and a Note of *First American Currency*, of eighty Spanish Milled Dollars value; also a large Silver Mounted Snuff Horn, with a fine set Pebble on the top, and on the edge, "*Peter Lee, Black Bull Inn, Edinburgh.*"
Any person who can give such information as may lead to a discovery, shall receive TEN GUINEAS Reward, and their names concealed, if desired,—and as several of the numbers of the large notes, though not all of them, are known, and every other precaution taken that may tend to give information, it is hoped that, by the assistance of Bankers and others into whose hands the Notes may come, the perpetrators of so daring a theft may be found out.
N.B.—If the suspected person or persons will inclose the Five and Ten Pound Notes in a letter by the Post Office, directed "James Robertson, Black Bull," they may retain the Gold and Small Notes to themselves; and no further enquiry will be made.

PRIZE GOODS.
RUSSIA SHEETINGS AND LINENS,
Part of the Cargo of the Spanish ship SAN ANTONIA, brought into Leith by his Majesty's ship Hawk.
MICKLEJOHN and SCOTT beg leave to acquaint their Friends and the Public, That there is selling at their shop part of the above Cargo, consisting of Ruffia Linen, Brown, Half White, and Full Bleached Ruffia Sheeting. For the convenience of private families, they sell them in whole or half pieces.—The above are the best in quality ever offered for sale in this place.
M. and S. have at present on hand an excellent assortment of 4-4ths Scotch and Irish Linen, 9 8ths, 7-4ths, and 6 4ths Scotch Sheeting from 13d to 6s per yard. They got to hand by last Waggon a Box FRENCH CAMBRICS, which they are selling very reasonable. No. 14. South Bridge Street.

WANTS A PLACE,
A YOUNG MAN as Overseer to a Farm. He has been for sometime in Northumberland with one of the best farmers in that country, and can be well recommended.
For particulars, enquire at the Printing Office.

CONTRACTORS WANTED.
FOR cutting and straightning the water course of Pitliver Burn, lying to the westward of Dunfermline, from the Coal Bridge to the west side of Pitliver House, agreeable to a course, and of the dimensions to be pointed out and shown to those who are willing to undertake
Application to be made to Mr Gulland at Torrie, or Mr Whyte at Pitfirrane, who will give the necessary information, and who are authorised to receive estimates and proposals in writing, which must be lodged with them betwixt and the 15th February next.

HOUSES IN HILL STREET FOR SALE.
To be Sold by public voluntary roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, on Friday the 9th day of February next, at two o'clock afternoon,
THE FOLLOWING HOUSES in Hill Street, in the new town of Edinburgh, viz.
I.—The HOUSE possessed by John MacLeod, Esq. of Colbecks.
II.—The one possessed by George Robinson, Esq.
III.—That possessed by Mrs Charteris.
IV.—That possessed by Mr Beatty.
V.—That possessed by Mrs Hunter.
VI.—That possessed by Mr Cathcart.
The peculiar advantages of the houses in Hill Street are so generally known, that it is unnecessary to specify them in an advertisement. The public burdens are moderate, in comparison with those of a similar size, situated in those parts of the new town.
For further particulars application may be made to James Home, C. S. Merchant Street.

A DWELLING-HOUSE,
BREWERY, AND MALTING, &c.
To be SOLD or LET,
THAT DWELLING-HOUSE and GARDEN, with the Brewery, Malt Barns, Kiln and Offices at Fountainbridge, in the vicinity of Edinburgh, lately belonging to, and as possessed by the deceased Mr Alexander Scott, brewer—together with several small Houses adjoining thereto, as possessed by the tenants thereto.
This Brewery and Malting, besides the advantage arising from its vicinity to Edinburgh, is well supplied with excellent water, has a pump well in the brewhouse, and another at the malting steep.
For the encouragement of such as may incline to carry on the brewing business, a purchaser or tenant may have the Coppers and other Utensils at a valuation.
For further particulars, application may be made to William Scott, solicitor at law, Merchant Street, Edinburgh.

HOUSES FOR SALE,
To be SOLD, and entered to at Whitsunday next, the following Houses situated on the north side of Leith Walk, viz.
I.—THAT HOUSE, No. 3. Fife's Place, as presently possessed by Mr Strang, consisting of ten fire-rooms, back ground, area in front, pump-well, &c. The drawing-room is 23 and a half feet long, by 16 feet broad, and 11 feet 9 inches in height, and is elegantly papered, and the whole other rooms in the house painted, and finished in the most handsome and substantial manner.
II.—That HOUSE, No. 5. Fife's Place, as presently possessed by Mrs Bertram, consisting of an equal number of rooms, and exactly of the same dimensions, and finished in the same manner with that possessed by Mr Strang.
III.—That BRICK HOUSE, possessed by Mr Cowper, iron founder, at the head of Pearlrigg entry, north side of Leith Walk, consisting of eight rooms, piece of ground, &c. all in good order.
For further particulars, apply to Hector Macdonald Buchanan, writer to the signet.

TO BE LET,
And entered to at Whitsunday 1798,
THE MILL and MILL LANDS of DODS, lying in the parish of Legerwood, and county of Berwick, being situated upon the great road by Colditream, 28 miles from Edinburgh. The land is of a good quality, consisting of about 12 acres, and well inclosed in four small parks. The thirlage is considerable, for which a fair composition will be paid the tenant.
Further particulars may be known by applying to William Myrtle, tenant in Boon, near Lauder, who has powers to conclude a bargain.

LONDON GAZETTE, January 30.

ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, Jan. 30. 1798.

Copy of a letter from Rear-Admiral HARVEY, Commander in Chief of his Majesty's ships and vessels at the Leeward Islands, to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated Prince of Wales, Carlisle Bay, Barbadoes, the 15th of December 1797.

SIR,

I HAVE to acquaint you, for the information of their Lordships, that Captain Western, in his Majesty's ship Tamer, has captured the under-mentioned French privateers, belonging to Guadaloupe, and sent them into this bay. The first was taken on the 4th instant, the latter the 7th, a few leagues to windward of Barbadoes.

Le Dragon schooner, of 12 guns and 80 men.

Le Dix-huit de Fructidor sloop, of 10 guns and 75 men.

These vessels are very fast sailers, and were well equipped. The former had taken an American brig, which was recaptured by the Tamer: The latter had been out five days, and had taken nothing. I have, &c.

HEN. HARVEY.

Copy of a letter from Admiral Sir RICHARD KING, Bart. Commander in Chief of his Majesty's ships and vessels at Plymouth, to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated on board the Cambridge, in Hamoaze, the 26th of January, 1798.

SIR,

I HEREWITH transmit, for their Lordships information, a letter from Lieutenant Burdwood, commanding his Majesty's hired cutter the Penelope, acquainting me of his having captured La Venturer French cutter privateer, with which he arrrived this day. I am, &c.

R. KING.

Penelope Cutter, January 26. 1798.

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to acquaint you, that on Wednesday the 24th instant, the Start bearing N. N. W. ten leagues, I captured the French cutter La Venturer, mounting 2 three pounders, 6 swivels, and small arms, pierced for 8 guns, carrying 33 men; three days from Pleinpoul, not having made any captures. I have, &c.

DANIEL BURDWOOD.

Admiral Sir Richard King, Bart.

Copy of a letter from Captain MOORE, of his Majesty's ship Melampus, to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated in Cawsand Bay, the 27th of January 1798.

SIR,

You will please to inform my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, that, on the 23d instant, in latitude 50 deg. north, longitude, 12 deg. west, after a close but short action, we captured La Volage, a French ship corvette, lent to the merchants, mounting 20 nine-pounders and 2 eighteen-pounders, and 195 men, commanded by Citizen Defageneaux, Captain of a frigate.

I am sorry to say, that two of the Melampus's seamen were mortally wounded, and are since dead, and three more dangerously wounded. The enemy had four killed and eight wounded.

The officers and ship's company of his Majesty's ship under my command behaved perfectly to my satisfaction.

La Volage was three weeks from Nantz, fitted for a three months cruize, but had only taken an American ship, and destroyed an English brig from Belfast, bound to Lisbon with coals.

The Captain and all the officers of La Volage are navy officers, with a congé for three months. I am, &c.

GRAHAM MOORE.

ADMIRALTY-OFFICE, Jan. 29.

Copy of a letter from Admiral Earl ST VINCENT, Commander in Chief of his Majesty's ships and vessels at Lisbon, to EVAN NEPEAN, Esq. dated Ville de Paris, in the Tagus, Jan. 10. 1798.

I INCLOSE, for the information of my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, letters I have received from the Captains of his Majesty's ships, L'Aigle, Blanche, and Mercury, and Speedy sloop, acquainting me with the captures they have lately made: Three of those taken by L'Aigle, (the fourth being retained as a tender,) Le Bayonnois, taken by the Blanche, and Le Benjamin, by the Mercury, are safe arrived in this river. I am, &c.

ST VINCENT.

Extract of a letter from Captain TYLER, of his Majesty's ship L'Aigle, to Admiral Earl ST VINCENT, dated off Cape Finisterre, Dec. 28. 1797.

ON the 26th instant I chased into the bay of Corunna three vessels, and captured them, the Aurora in company. I left her in charge of the prizes, while I chased a suspicious sail to the westward. This morning I fell in with two of the prizes, the third, a brig laden with timber, unfortunately overset this morning, while I was in chace of them; however, the men were saved; the other two have hemp, coals, and nails. On the 30th of last month I captured a French privateer, of 4 guns and 52 men; she had taken three English merchant ships, and sent one into Lach Bay. I sent Mr Tritton, the master, and 20 men, to cut her out. The same evening he captured a Spaniard laden with Sardinias, and sent her for Lisbon.

Copy of a letter from Captain HOTHAM, Commander of his Majesty's ship Blanche, to Admiral Earl ST VINCENT, K. B. &c. dated at sea, December 28. 1797.

IN the execution of your Lordship's orders of the 28th of November, yesterday being in latitude 40 deg. 59 min. N. and longitude 12 deg. 59 min. W. I have the honour to inform your Lordship I fell in with and captured (after sixteen hours chace) Le Bayonnois French privateer brig, of six guns and 40 men, 31 days out from Bayonne, and had taken nothing.

Her guns were thrown overboard in the chace.

HENRY HOTHAM.

Copy of a letter from Captain ROGERS of his Majesty's ship Mercury, to Admiral Earl ST VINCENT, K. B. &c. dated at sea, January 6. 1798.

I BEG to acquaint you, that yesterday, proceeding to cruize in obedience to your orders, I fell in with, twenty leagues W. N. W. of the Rock of Lisbon, Le Benjamin French ship privateer, belonging to Bourdeaux, pierced for 20 guns, but mounting 16 four and six pounders (10 of which he throw overboard) and 132 men, which I captured after a chace of 36 hours; the Alemene, Lively, and Thalia, under the orders of Captain Hope, joined company during the chace. The privateer sails extremely well, and is a very desirable ship for his Majesty's service; she is copper-bottomed and perfectly new, this being her first cruize, during which she capured the Governor Bruce English brig, from Bristol, bound to Faro, a Portugueze schooner; and was beat off by an English letter of marque.

I have the honour to be, &c.

THO. ROGERS.

Copy of a letter from Captain DOWNMAN, Commander of his Majesty's sloop Speedy, to Admiral Earl ST VINCENT, K. B. &c. dated off Oporto, Dec. 26. 1797.

I HAVE the honour to inform you, that on the 21st. seven leagues west of the Bayona islands, his Majesty's sloop Speedy fell in with three Spanish privateers, and, after a chace of four hours, captured the Pilgrim, a lugger, mounting 3 carriage guns and 22 men. The other two, a lugger mounting 6 nine-pounders and 50 men, and a schooner mounting 4 six-pounders and 45 men, made their escape into Vigo.

I have the honour to be, &c.

HUGH DOWNMAN.

LLOYD's MARINE LIST, January 30.

THE Voilage French corvette, of 24 guns and 230 men, was captured on the 23d inst. in lat. 48. by the Melampus frigate, after an action of 35 minutes, and brought into Plymouth.

Two privateers, one of 10 and the other of 12 guns, are captured in the West Indies by the Tamer frigate, and sent into Barbadoes.

The Fame, Henderson, from London to Cork, has been run foul of and towed into Dover.

La Lulie Marie, Le Courier, and Le Consdateur, prizes to the Vulture privateer, are arrived at Jersey.

L'Emulation, with wine and brandy; La Diligence, of 80 tons, in ballast; and La Therese, with salt, prizes to the Lottery privateer, are arrived at Jersey.

The Search, Warren, of Yarmouth, for Plymouth, has been taken by a privateer, retaken off Beachy by the Lion cutter, and brought into the Downs.

The Golden Grove, Brydon, from London to Jamaica, has been taken and retaken by the Jason and Amelia frigates, and sent into Plymouth.

The Providence, ———, from London to St Domingo, has been taken, and since run on shore at St Domingo.

The Winifred, ———, from Antigua; and Peace, ———, from Surinam to America, are taken by the French.

The Governor Bruce, Cassin, from Bristol to Faro, is taken near Vigo by a French privateer.

The Bee, Wainwright, from Newfoundland to Barbadoes, is taken and carried into Guadaloupe.

The Federalist, Prat, from Charleston to London, is taken and carried into Bayonne.

The Warsuch, ———, from Hamburgh to Copenhagen, is lost at sea.

The Polly, ———, from New York to Jamaica, has been taken, retaken, and arrived at Jamaica, with the Bellona transport, also retaken.

The Johanna, M'Kellar, from Liverpool to Antigua, is reported to be taken.

The Ann, ———, from Barbadoes to Liverpool, is put back to Barbadoes leaky, after being one month at sea.

La Tribune frigate, from England, is lost in a gale of wind near Halifax.

The Good Intent, Coats, from Waterford to Newfoundland, is taken and carried into France.

WINDS AT DEAL.

Jan. 26. S.W.—27. N.W.—28. W.S.W.—29. S.

MAILS.

Arrived, Ireland, 8.—Hamburgh, 2.
Due, Ireland, 3.—Hamburgh, 5.—Lisbon, 1.

FRANCE.

Extract of the Proces Verbal of the Executive Directory, sitting of the 21st January, the sixth year of the Republic, one and indivisible.

On the 21st January, at eleven o'clock in the morning (in pursuance of the decree of the Executive Directory of the 23d of last month, ordering that in conformity to the law of the 12th Nivose of the 5th year of the Republic, the anniversary of the just punishment of the last King of the French should be celebrated to day), the members of the Executive Directory, and the Secretary General assembled. The ministers afterwards assembled, and were successively introduced.

At twelve o'clock, the Executive Directory, escorted by a guard of cavalry and infantry, and preceded by their officers and messengers of state, the staff of the 17th division, the Ministers, and the Secretary General, quitted the hall of their sittings to repair to the building, formerly called St. Sulpice. The procession entered at the great gate.—The troops formed a line, by which the Directory passed, in order to place themselves in an alcove which was reserved for them in the centre of the building. The ministers were placed to the right and left of the Directory, near the alcove, and the members of the corps diplomatique occupied the sides. Military trophies, statues of Liberty, Equality and Wisdom, ornamented the inclosure. In the front was an altar erected to the country, upon which was placed the book of the constitution. On the two sides were amphitheatres, in which the constituted authorities and public functionaries were seated.

The conservatory of music were placed in a vast tribune, elevated behind the Directory. The remainder of the space was occupied by the armed force and a crowd of citizens.

The Directory being seated, the conservatory of music performed the last couplet of the hymn to liberty. The music being finished, the President of the Directory made the following speech:

"As often as the revolution of years brings round this memorable day, hatred to royalty is the first sentiment which animates our hearts, and the first oath that suggests itself to our minds. This hatred is founded upon fifteen hundred unfortunate years of oppression and slavery; and this hatred is necessary to preserve posterity from all the crimes, all the vengeance, all the prosecutions, and all the calamities which royalty would bring back with it.

"French people! Ye who henceforth will only be called by the name of the Great Nation it is necessary to recall to your indignant minds, that had it not been for barbarous and savage conquerors, you never would have known the shame of having groaned under kings.

"For a long time, the object at once of the terror and veneration of the Romans; free and happy in our fertile fields, you knew no other master, but the simplicity of your laws—Governed by Magistrates elected by yourselves freely in the Champ de Mars, you were even then an example for other nations; when the savage hordes of the north ravaged your plains, and brought with them tyrants and fetters—What a contrast with the purity of your manners! What crimes unknown to your ancestors disgraced the men whom crowns and purple plunged into indolence, and who, slaves themselves to their Ministers, were one after another driven from their thrones. Every new dynasty took its rise in the corrupted court of the last one. Every race that was exterminated by their indolence, were replaced by another race, who raised themselves by treason; and the energy of the usurper constantly increased the powers of the Crown, which the weakness of his predecessor had diminished.

"Under the first race, every city had a throne, and every throne maintained a separate war. The second race, with greater insolence, made war on its nobility. Feudal anarchy arose—every country had its robbers, and every village its despot. Every acre of land had its master. The third race bent under the despotism of priests, who sent you to Africa on their crusades.—They fattened on the wealth which was left behind, and at the price of your blood, they sold to imbecile Kings the glory of saints. In the following ages the madness of chivalry fattened with your blood the plains of Poitiers, of Cressy, and of Agincourt. Intestine commotions was the continual curse of France—religious confiscations—sacred assassinations—evangelic slaughters—the massacres of St Vassi, of St Bartholomew, the fury of the league, and the horrible oppression of two Cardinals, fill the pages of the history of that deplorable and bloody period. At length, the pride of Louis XIV. the debaucheries of Louis XV. and the perfidy of their son, filled the measure of their iniquity. The 14th of July came, and, like the thunder, instantly overthrew that hideous Colossus of power and barbarity, of pride and ambition, the work of so many ages.

"O memorable day! O sacred day!—dear to the remembrance of every friend of liberty. What a noble and sublime spectacle you present to the astonished world! On one side 25 millions of men and their virtues—on the other, a feeble throne, and crime without power. The destruction of the Bastile was the first effect of that hatred to royalty which an injured nation had sworn to observe. They had, however, not experienced the full extent of royal tyranny; and although your hatred was long formed, she found means to elude your vengeance by the perfidy of her conduct, and her Machiavelian politics. Directing the first torrent of the revolution against the people, she found means to turn the excesses then committed against the cradle of liberty; and by a ferocious combination, she endeavoured, by an odious anarchy, to stifle the rising sentiments of freedom. But neither the Kings who were armed without, the conspirators who were hired within, nor the apostles of a sanguinary humanity, were able to resist the genius of the Republic; and with the same arm that destroyed royalty loaded with crimes, destroyed crimes attempting to bring back royalty.

"It is not therefore by chance, it is not by a giddy love of change, that you are induced to hate Royalty, and to prefer a Republic. But it is from profound meditation, from contemplating the charms of liberty contrasted with the shame of slavery, that you are forced to the election. You willed a Republican Government, and the throne bowed to your resolve. You then supported this Government with all your force, and its enemies were confounded. Surrounded as it now is, all its internal and factious opponents will soon be destroyed. This Government has already given you victory, and it will give prosperity. Cast your eyes around, and see the miserable partizans of Royalty confounded, but not destroyed; humiliated, but multiplying lies and calumnies; throwing out menaces, and exciting tumults in Corsica; assassinating Duphot; arming brigands upon the roads, and priests in the country; scattering their corrupting gold, and making every effort to excite either a civil or foreign war.

"You must not doubt but that it is at the elections, those annual and salutary crises of Representative Governments, that these ministers redouble their efforts, in obedience to their royal instructions; but you must again confound their criminal hope, in rallying round the Constitution, and the Government which will not suffer it to be injured. The Primary Assemblies will soon open, and, under the protecting eyes of the laws, the propriety of your choice will be the result of your unanimity. Suffer not the storms to gather over your heads—they produce nothing but calamities which dissipate before the Constitution, without which, we shall have no peace, no tranquillity, no public prosperity, or individual happiness."

This speech being concluded, the President pronounced the oath in these words:

"I swear hatred to royalty and anarchy—I swear attachment and fidelity to the Republic and the Constitution of the year three."

All the members of the Directory, Ministers, Constituted Authorities, Public Functionaries, civil and military, &c. repeated—*I swear*, amidst the cries of *Vive la Republique*.

REVOLUTION IN SWITZERLAND.

LETTER FROM M. OCHS, ENVOY FROM BASLE, TO HIS CONSTITUENTS.

Magnificent and Powerful Lords,

This is probably the last time these antiquated titles shall strike the ears of your excellencies.—I cannot dissemble the pleasure I have in renouncing them myself, and in cherishing the hope that the endearing title of Citizen is soon to succeed them.

I consider the Revolution in Switzerland as completed. The different Cantons, their dependencies, and some of their allies, will, I hope, soon form a Democratic and Representative Republic. Threats, boastings, irregular measures which may be thought ingenious and firm, petty shifts, miserable intrigues, may perhaps retard the crisis, and even render it troublesome: But these means will not prevent the Revolution from being carried into effect. The decree is passed. Destiny seems to have declared the end of all degrading aristocracies.

It is honourable for my Canton to be the first which gave the example to Switzerland. I am informed of the rapidity with which our subject States, which, thank Heaven, will soon cease to be so, proceed in the career of their emancipation. They are as it were electrified. They have ceased to fear, or to be the dupes of our finest exhortations. They begin to believe that the Great Nation does not love our aristocracy—that its government is not divided in opinion with respect to us. They are no longer persuaded that 100,000 Russians are marching towards the Rhine, or that the cause of oligarchies is the cause of God. They feel that they are men, and recollect that their ancestors and themselves have done every thing for us, and that we have done nothing for them. They have discovered that they want a guarantee for the future, and that this guarantee can only be found in the equality of political rights, a constitution resting on that basis, and, above all, new elections.

Again, and for the last time, I speak to you on the real interests of the country. Declare, then, by a formal decree,

1. That there are no longer any subjects.
2. That each village, burgh, and section of towns, shall form a primary assembly, and immediately elect representatives—one for each fifty persons, who have reached the age of twenty-four years.
3. That these representatives assembled at Basle shall form a particular constitution, to remain in force until the sentiments of the other parts of Switzerland be known.
4. That they shall establish, in the mean time, while this constitution is preparing, some provisional committees for maintaining order, and managing the present business; and, finally, that each of you charge yourselves to present to those appointed for the above purpose, the act of resignation of all your places, without any reserve whatever.

I am anxious to be before you in this transaction. I declare, therefore, that I renounce every hereditary privilege; that henceforth I consider our subjects as fellow-citizens, and that I am ready to deposit into the hand of the Representatives of the people every power, authority, command, presidency for life or otherwise, with which I am invested. (Signed, &c.)

In conformity with the above, the citizens of the country have addressed a manifesto to the Burgesses of the town of Basle, in which they demand in strong terms, their liberty as a right which they derive from God and Nature, and threaten the utmost resistance in case it is denied.

VENICE, DEC. 15.

The French left this port on Sunday the 10th, on board of Venetian transports, accompanied by two of the Venetian frigates, for Corfu.—Three 74's are still in the port, but almost ready for sea.

Yesterday they took down and embarked, the four fine horses which stood over the great door, amidst the murmurs of the people, several of whom were ill-treated by the French for testifying their sorrow at such proceedings.

The French have practised every stratagem to extort money. General Serrurier has made a demand of thirty thousand silver ducats from the corporation of gold and silver smiths, for having guarded their shops from being pillaged; and yesterday he made a further requisition of 150,000 silver ducats of the municipality.

TURIN, DEC. 20.

The Genoese government has received official notice from the French minister of the approaching arrival of 3000 French troops, to be quartered at Genoa, and to be paid by the Genoese. A loan of four millions has also been demanded of them by the Cisalpine minister, Porro.

The conduct of the Cisalpine Republic, in the short time which has elapsed since its birth, has announced a system of invasion and aggrandizement extremely dangerous for such of its neighbours as are unable to oppose force to force. The Pope is in this unfortunate predicament—his immediate acknowledgment of the Cisalpine Republic at their peremptory demand, did not suffice to preserve the Ecclesiastical States from invasion—the French General, D'Allemagne, who commands at Ancona, infringed the treaty of Tolentino, by the occupation of Sinegaglia with 500 French troops, on pretext of the insufficiency of the magazines of Ancona for the subsistence of the troops which were quartered there.—While the Government of Rome was occupied in obtaining explanation and redress of the French Ambassador, Buonaparte, of this violation, they received intelligence of another, still more flagrant, on the part of the Cisalpine and Polish troops, under the command of General Dombrowsky, who entering the Duchy of Urbino, summoned the fortress of San Leo to surrender in three days, threatening, if not complied with, to invade Urbino, Pesaro, and the whole province. The Commandant required twenty-four hours to receive orders from his superior, which were to demand the honours of war, and to deliver up the fortress, which was done accordingly; and that place is actually occupied by the Cisalpine troops.

While such acts of invasion are going on, the language in the councils at Milan keeps pace with them in violence, not only against the Pope, but all the other sovereigns of Italy, and particularly Naples; one member (Lattanzi) declared and moved a string of resolutions for the purpose, that the Cisalpine must follow the example of the French republic, and begin by carrying into execution at least their part of the task imposed upon them of giving liberty to all Italy.

London.

JANUARY 31.

We understand a list of the voluntary subscribers at the Bank will be printed to-morrow. The public will then see to whom the country is indebted for its support in the hour of danger.

The officers of his Majesty's ship Pompee, of 80 guns Capt. Vashon, have subscribed one month's pay towards the voluntary subscription for the defence of the country.

One of the principal gentlemen connected with the ensuing loan has waited on Mr. Pitt, to request to know if he had come to any resolution as to the time when it was to be made, or as to the sum. Mr. Pitt's answer was—that he was at present unable to reply to either of the two questions.

A military council, consisting of his Royal Highness the Duke of York, General Dundas, Mr Secretary Dundas, and several military officers, was yesterday held at the Duke's office in the Horse Guards, to settle the arrangement of the British forces, and the means of defence to be pursued, whereby the French may be prevented from accomplishing their design of invading this country.

The Earl of Moira will embark for Ireland in a few days, to take his seat in the House of Peers of that kingdom.

In pursuance of the bill brought into Parliament by Mr Dundas, the skeleton regiments will immediately begin to recruit from the Supplementary Militia. Each regiment will have a separate district; the bounty on entering from the militia into the regular service is eight guineas per man.

On Saturday the sentence of the court martial who tried Major General Wemyss, of the marines at Portsmouth, having received his Majesty's approbation, was made public. The General is sentenced by the court martial to be put last on the list of half-pay colonels.

Major Coucher, Commandant of the Portsdown troop of Gentlemen Yeomanry, has received orders for all the gentlemen of the troop who live in different towns, that the gentlemen of each town should keep their horses together in a stable, which, with corn and hay, will be provided by Government, in order that they may be ready for service, should they be wanted at a short notice.

Monday dispatches were received at the Admiralty om Earl St Vincent, off the harbour of Lisbon; con-ining an account of a number of captures having been ade by his cruisers, which appear in the Gazette.

The dispatches are dated the 11th inst. at which time s Lordship, in the Ville de Paris, of 110 guns, with e Lively and L'Aigle frigates, remained in the Tagus. n the preceding day, the latter ship took into Lisbon French privateer of 22 guns, which she had captu-d a few days before off the Spanish coast. The Alc-ene and Thalia frigates sailed from the Tagus, on the th, in quest of two privateers, which had been seen ruising in that latitude. The King George packet, which brought these advices, on her passage home, saw n armed ship, having a smaller vessel in tow. On the ight of the 15th, in lat. 40. 6. long. 13. 59. the Pac-et found herself in the midst of a large fleet. Captain ell counted 20 near him. It was extremely dark; e bore up and continued amongst them almost half an our, then altered his course, and stood away without eing noticed, and soon lost sight of them. Wind N. E. by E. On the 17th, 18th, and 19th, she encoun-ered strong gales, with severe lightning.

By letters from Jersey, of the date of the 24th inst. e learn, that for ten days the people had been appre-ensive, in that island, of an immediate attack from the nemy, several thousand men having arrived at Grand-ille and St Maloes; but by advice from the coast of France, a day or two previous to the 24th, the French troops had gone into Cantonments in the neighbourhood of the two towns above mentioned; and it appears that some of the gun-boats, which had been laid up at St Maloes, were found, upon being launched, to be rotten, so that it would be some time before they can attempt any expedition. The States of the island of Jersey, on the 23d, offered a reward of a thousand livres, (about 50l. Sterling,) to the person who shall first discover the approach of the enemy's fleet.

An extract of a letter from Bourdeaux, dated Dec. 26, 1797, states, that Major Cairns, Major M'Lane, Capt. Dodd of the artillery, Capt. M'Donnell, of one of the West India regiments, and Capt. Tyrrell, of the 18th light dragoons, are prisoners at that place.

The following article is copied from the Madrid Ga-zette of the 22d ult.—"The French admiral Brueys, with nine ships of the line, *ci-devant* Venetian, to which several others are to be added from Toulon, is charged with assisting the sailing of the Spanish fleet from Cadiz. In case of a junction, both squadrons are to proceed to Brest, where the whole force to cover the descent upon England will amount to 70 or 80 ships of the line. The Spanish force at Carthagena is between 15 and 20 ships of the line.

It appears by letters from Vienna, that the Imperial Court is highly displeased with the decree of the Legislative Body of France, which assimilates the Belgic emigrants with those who have emigrated from other parts of the French Republic. This decree is considered by the Austrian Cabinet as an open violation of the 9th arti-cle of the treaty of Campo Formio.

EAST-INDIA HOUSE.

Yesterday a General Court was held pursuant to ad-vertisement: After the last minutes, with the letter from nine proprietors for convening the Court, had been read,

Mr Huddlestone was preparing to open the busines, when the Chairman requested, that some proceedings of the Directors respecting Ceylon might previously be read.

After a short debate, the Court divided on the que-stion, whether the papers should be now read, when the numbers appeared to be

For the question	58
Against it	91

Mr Huddlestone concluded a very able speech with the following motion:

"That this Court considers the appointment by his Majesty's Ministers of the Hon. Frederick North to the government of the island of Ceylon as a measure injurious to their interests, the interests, and to the hitherto conceived rights of the East-India Company and as a sudden and alarming innovation on a system under which the British interests in India have been ad-ministered for nearly a century past; which system has proved not less beneficial to the Public than to the East India Compa-ny, and was expressly and repeatedly recognized and admitted, both by his Majesty's Ministers and the Court of Directors, in the course of the negociation for the late renewal of the Company's charter."

The above motion having been seconded by Mr Twining, the proceedings of the Court of Directors, containing a preliminary correspondence with Mr Dun-das; the opinion of the Company's Counsel in favour of the King's legal right to appoint a Governor; mi-nute of conversation between the Chairs and Mr Dun-das, with a subsequent resolution of the Court of Direc-tors, recommending, under all the circumstances, an acquiescence in the appointment; also a letter from Mr Dundas to the Chairs, dated the 29th instant protest-ing in very strong and pointed terms against any declar-ation of the powers of the Crown to appoint a Gover-nor for Ceylon, having been read by the clerk,

A long debate ensued, in the course of which Mr Randle Jackson moved the following amendment, which was seconded by Mr Henchman.

"That this Court do agree in opinion with the Court of Di-rectors in their resolution of the 25th inst. but at the same time that this Court agree with the Court of Directors on the inex-pediency of taking any further steps at present, after reference to the written declaration of the Right Hon. Henry Dundas, in his letter of the 16th inst. read this day, they confidently re-ly on their care and vigilance, that this temporary appointment shall not be drawn into a precedent for establishments, which, if made permanent, must materially affect the rights and inte-rests of the Company under the present charter.

An adjournment was at length moved by Mr. John Read, which being seconded by Mr. Jones Adair, a division took place, when the numbers were,

For the Adjournment	41
Against it	37

The Court accordingly adjourned at half past five o'-clock, *sine die*.

The principal speakers were, Messrs. Huddlestone, Twining, Chairman and Deputy Chairman, Sir Fran-cis Baring, Sir Stephen Lushington, Lord Kinnard, Mr Alderman Lushington, and Messrs. Knox, Grant, and Durant.

Mr Twining gave notice, that he should shortly call a Court on the subject of tonnage taken up by the Se-cret Committee.

Yesterday a Court of Directors was held at the In-dia House, when it was resolved, "That all bills of exchange upon the Company in England, payable in February and March, should be received as cash in payment for goods bought, or to be bought at the Com-pany's sales, deducting interest for the unexpired time. The Court adjourned at six o'clock.

The cession of Hamburgh to Denmark is reported, in one of the foreign journals, to have been agreed upon so long since as last spring, when the Hereditary Prince of Denmark met the late King of Prussia at Pyrmont.

Rivitt, Fugion, and Carpmeal, three of the Bow-street officers, arrived yesterday in town from Portsmouth, with two foreigners, of the names of Specht and Huttor, who had been some days in custody there as spies, they having been detected in making plans of Portsmouth and the fortifications around it. They were examined before Sir William Addington, and commit-ted for further examination on Wednesday (to-morrow). The plans were sent to the Duke of Portland's office.

The French papers contain accounts of 27 vessels captured and carried into French ports. They be-long to different nations; some of them are British.

The lieutenancy of London are determined in future that the adjutant, paymaster, and surgeon shall have full salaries, and no double appointments.

In the year 1792, there were in Great-Britain 25 established barracks, capable of containing 20,847 men: The superintendants or barrack masters of which re-ceived amongst them annually 3,695l. 12s. 6d.

In the last five years there have been 25 more per-manent barracks established; the 25 barrack masters re-ceive 5,475l.

The temporary barracks since 1792 amount to 48, containing 58,431 men; many of which being hired under particular circumstances have amongst them but 11 barrack masters, who receive 2007l. 10s. *per annum.*

DISTRIBUTION OF MILITARY FORCE.

At Newcastle upon Tyne—East Middlesex Militia, East and West Lothian Fencible Cavalry, and detach-ments of artillery and horse artillery.

Sunderland—Middlesex (Westminster), and Surrey militia.

Tynemouth Barracks—West Lowland fencible in-fantry.

Durham—Berwickshire fencible cavalry.

Berwick—Lancashire fencible cavalry.

Scarborough Barracks—Northumberland militia, and loyal Irish infantry.

Alnwick and Morpeth—North Lincoln militia, and 1st battalion of Rothsay fencible infantry.

York—15th and 46th regiments of foot.

Doncaster—31st regiment of foot.

Hull—Durham, Nottingham, and North York mi-litia.

Yarmouth—South Lincoln militia.

Carlisle—8th regiment of foot, and Pembroke and Perthshire fencible cavalry.

Whitehaven—Carmarthenshire militia.

PLYMOUTH, Jan. 28.

The French frigate mentioned in my last to be work-ing into the Sound, arrived and came into harbour this afternoon; she proves to be La Voilage, mounting 24 guns, with 230 men, commanded by Citizen De Ge-nereaux, captured on the 23d inst. in lat. 48, by the Melampus frigate, of 36 guns, Captain G. Moore, which is the frigate stated to have anchored in Cawsand bay yesterday. La Voilage mistook the Melampus for an East India ship, and bore down upon her till she came within musquet shot, tacked, and fired a whole broad-side into her; wore ship, and was preparing to board the Melampus, when the latter brought her guns to bear, and saluted her with a full broadside, which car-ried away her main and mizen topmasts, on which the Frenchmen discovered their mistake, and hauled down their colours. La Voilage had six men killed and twelve wounded; the Melampus two killed and six wounded; four of the latter dangerously. She was 23 days from Nantz, and had captured an Irish brig, and the Ame-rican ship Draper, Captain Collink, from New York, bound to Dublin, with naval stores; the latter was re-taken, and brought in here by La Nymphe frigate on the 24th inst.

The squadron under the command of Vice-Admiral Thompson passed by this port to the westward this morning. The following ships sailed hence to join the above squadron, viz.

Marlborough,	74	Captain J. Ellison
Mars,	74	Captain A. Hood
Terrible,	74	Captain Sir R. Bickerton
St. Alban's,	64	Captain F. Pender
San Fiorenzo,	40	Captain Sir H. Neale
Clyde,	38	Captain C. Cunningham.

—*MARRIED*—

Last Sunday, at St. Margaret's church, Lothbury, Colqu-houn Grant, Esq. of the island of Jamaica, to Miss Margaret Abernethie, daughter of the late Dr Abernethie, physician in Banff.

—*DIED*—

In Curren-street, on Friday last, Sir William Gordon, K. B. aged 72 years.

Yesterday, at her house in Norton street, Marybone, Lady Chambers, relict of the late Sir Wm. Chambers, the celebra-ted architect.

—*BIRTH.*—

On Sunday morning last, the Right. Hon. Lady Emily M'-Leod, at Colonel M'Leod's, Woolwich Common, of a daugh-ter.

—*STOCKS.*—

Bank Stock 119½		5 *per cent. Ann.*	69¾ ¼
3 *per cent. con.*	47⅞ ½ ¼	*Long Ann.*	13½ 7-16 ½
4 *per cent.*	59⅝ ¾	*Short,*	6 7-16½

This day (Jan 29) at twelve o'clock,
3 *per cent. red* 48⅞

Caledonian Mercury.

EDINBURGH—FEBRUARY 3.

[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT IN LONDON.]

LONDON, January 31.

Full powers have been given to the Imperial Deputa-tion at Radstadt. A letter from Ratisbon, dated the 11th says, "that the *Conclusum* of the 8th bears in substance, that the Diet finds itself, in consequence of the declarations and menaces of the French Legation at Radstadt, under the necessity of proposing full and unlimited powers for the extraordinary deputation of the Empire.

COLOGNE, JAN. 17. We learn that General Hay-poult has assembled the deputies of the Nobility and the burgesses of the Prussian territory on the left bank of the Rhine, and declared to them, that their country, with the consent of the King, was ceded to France—that on Sunday the oath of fidelity to the French Re-public would be required of them, and that a new or-ganization would then be commenced.

SWITZERLAND—BASLE, Jan. 20.

It is impossible to know what party has at present the Government in this place.—The Great Counsel seems still to exist—but a Committee, united by the public de-sire, issue orders which are executed—This division of authority cannot long exist. This Committee being created by a patriotic union, formed lately, is composed of men known for their attachment to the cause of liber-ty and equality.

The tribunes of the Canton of Basle have given to a Commission full power to accede to all the demands made by the country.

The States of Basle have recalled the deputies whom they had at the Diet at Arau.

Five or six hundred armed men from Leisthal and the country, part on horseback, and part on foot, have come to Basle—the dragoons of Basle went to meet them—they united, fraternized, and took possession of the arsenal, after which they orgainized themselves, chose commanders and officers, and took an oath to re-ceive no orders except given by the officers whom they had chosen, and by a singular disposition, they swore on-ly to obey in cases of need the deputies of the country.

These deputies are actually reunited to the Members of the city, who form with them the Commission to pro-nounce upon the petition, which, if adopted, will make a total change of the present Government. The inha-bitants of Pays du Vaud have formally declared to the Oligarchy of Berne, that they will recognize their au-thority no longer, nor that of their Commissioners and Envoys.

There never was a greater dearth of continental in-telligence. Three Hamburgh mails are due.

Admiral THOMPSON has been obliged to put into Torbay, on account of the steadiness of the hostile winds. —He had one time reached Plymouth, but a gale of wind coming on, he could not proceed.

We are happy to announce the safe arrival in the Downs of the Essex, William Pitt, Taunton Castle, Thomas, Minerva, Europa, Exeter, Manship, Telli-cherry, Carnatic, Princess Royal, Castor, and Cover-dale, from India.

The Irish Budget, which is shortly to be opened by Sir JOHN PARNELL, is said to contain the following new taxes, viz.

"An additional duty on malt.

"A tax upon windows in houses of a certain va-lue, and of different descriptions.

"A tax on horses, more than one kept for pleasure.

"A tax on male and female servants, more than one, and less than four.—The tax is to be doubled on all above this number.

"A tax on dogs.

"An additional duty on carriages kept for pleasure.

"A tax of two shillings and sixpence on the incomes of absentees."

Every passenger who sails to or from Dublin, must, by order of a letter from Mr LEE, subscribe his name to a list presented by the Captain of the packet. Should he refuse, he is not to be taken on board.

NEUTRAL POWERS.

For the sake of those concerned, we state the mari-time law of England with respect to the trade of neu-tral nations:—

1st, That the goods of an enemy on board the ship of a nation in amity, may be taken.

2d, That the lawful goods of a nation in amity, on board the ships of an enemy, ought to be restored.

3d, That contraband goods going to the enemy, though the property of a nation in amity, may be taken as prize,—because the supplying the enemy with what enables him better to carry on the war, is a departure from neutrality.

This was the law established in the war which com-menced in the year 1756, for which see a report made to his late Majesty Geo. II. on this subject, by Sir Geo. Lee, Sir Geo. Paul, Sir Dudley Ryder, and Mr Murray, afterwards Earl of Mansfield.

On Thursday 1st current, was married at Leith, A-LEXANDER KEAY, Esq. accountant, Edinburgh, to Miss MARION PASLEY, daughter of the late James Pasley, Esq. merchant, Leith.

February 1. At Maitlandfield, Mrs Colonel MAIT-LAND was safely delivered of a daughter.

Died, on Wednesday the 24th ult. at his house at Dalscairth, in the 64th year of his age, DAVID MILLIGAN, Esq. many years a respectable merchant of London, universally esteemed and regretted.

Mrs LINDSAY, widow of Martin Lindsay, Esq. writ-er, died at her house in Buccleuch Place 29th ult.

Died at Brechin, on the 13th ult. very justly regret-ted, JAMES KEITH, Esq. Collector of Excise.

On Friday the 26th ult. died at Fochabers, Mrs JANET BARCLAY, spouse to Mr Alexander Umphray, merchant there.

Died on the 25th January last, CHARLES STIRLING, Esq. residing at Kerfield near Stirling.

Lord DUNCAN is not expected in town, till Tues-day.

HEW DALRYMPLE, Esq. M. P. and GEORGE AU-GUSTUS POLLEN, Esq. M. P. arrived this morning at Dumbreck's Hotel, St Andrew's Square.

We understand, that measures are about to be pursu-ed, under the patronage of the first characters of this city and county, for raising a sum by voluntary subscrip-tion, in aid of Government, for carrying on the pre-sent war, and protecting our country against the threat-ned insults of the enemy.

The first battalion of Royal Perth Volunteers have unanimously, on the 1st of this month, agreed to sub-scribe five hundred guineas from the public funds of the corps, as a voluntary contribution on the present e-mergency, when all are called to come forward in eve-ry possible manner for the defence of their country. The money is to be remitted immediately to Govern-ment through his Grace the Duke of ATHOL, Lord Lieutenant of the county. The conduct of this vo-lunteer corps, who have been the first to come forward in this manner, deserves the highest commendation.

It is in agitation to erect an iron bridge over the Tweed at Kelso, in place of the stone one carried a-way by a flood some time ago.

On Thursday last, the great warehouses, cellars, &c. called the VAULTS at Leith, were let, by auction, at the uncommon rent of 510 l. per annum, a sum consi-dered large; but, from the great conveniencies and ac-commodations to be had in these capacious granaries, warehouses, and vaults, it is thought the rent is mode-rate, as nothing like them is to be met with in this country.

LAUNCH OF THE MORELAND.

Yesterday, a very fine vessel called the Moreland, was launched at Leith, built by Mr JOHN TEMPLE, for Messr. WILLIAM SIBBALD and Co. merchants.—She is the largest vessel ever built at this port, calcula-ted to carry 600 tons, or 420 carpenters measure—Length of keel 96 feet; length on deck 119 feet; breadth of beam 29½ feet—pierced for 22 guns.—As launched she draws 6½ feet water forward, and 9½ be-aft, and when loaded, it is estimated, she may draw 14 feet forward, and 16 be-aft. She is intended for the West-India trade.

The launch afforded a very pleasing spectacle to a great number of spectators, and we are happy to say, not the smallest accident happened.

In our last we inserted an extract, amounting to one half of the BISHOP of LANDAFF's celebrated Address to the People of Great Britain—In our next we intend to give the remainder.

PAINE's *Rights of Man* and *Age of Reason* have been translated into *Irish*, and distributed gratis throughout that kingdom. Thus has this restless demagogue been in a great degree the cause of all the murder, massacres and assassinations, which now convulse that unfortunate country.

On Monday last, a fox being hard pressed by Lord EGREMONT's hounds, ran up the roof of a cottage near Petworth, and descended by means of a chimney into the kitchen, from whence he was taken alive, and re-served for another day's sport.

It is with pleasure we mention the benevolent be-quests of the late Mr ROBERT MOIR, manufacturer, Aberdeen, whose death we formerly mentioned. We are informed they are as follow, viz.

The interest of 200l. yearly to the schoolmaster of his native parish of Methlick, with the obligation of teaching ten children gratis, recommended by the ses-sion.

The interest of 100l. to be annually distributed a-mong the indigent families in said parish.

One hundred pounds to be added to the fund be-queathed by the late Mr Thain, for founding a school to teach poor children gratis.

The interest of 200l. to be distributed yearly in coals to poor people in Aberdeen.

Fifty pounds to the Poor's Hospital, Aberdeen;—

And fifty pounds to the intended Lunatic Hospital in Aberdeen, if erected in 18 months—if not, his tru-stees are required to dispose of it otherwise.

Shipping Intelligence.

The London Gazette of 30th ult. gives notice that certain prize-money will be paid to the crews of his Majesty's ships L'Unite, Chs. Rowley, Esq. commander—Rose, Edward Rion, Esq.—and the Cerberus and Diana.

CONVOY TO THE NORE.

His Majesty's ship Inspector, Captain Charles Loch com-mander, is now in Leith Roads, and will sail first fair wind for the Nore, with such of the trade and vessels bound to the south-ward, who put themselves under his protection.

Convoy Chamber, Edinburgh, Jan. 30. 1798.

—*ARRIVED AT LEITH*—

Feb. 1. Bilona, Anderson, from Carron, yetling.
Mary, Muir, from Grangemouth, bricks.
2. Roxburgh Packet, Taylor, from London, goods.
Betsey, Fotheringham, from Alloa, goods.

—*SAILED*—

Ann, Ross, for Glasow, goods.
Leith Packet, Paton, for Dundee goods.
Zephyr, Weatherly, for Berwick, goods.
Dublin, Smith, for Lerwick, goods.
Glasgow Packet, Taylor, for London, goods.
Peggy, Morrison, for Liverpool, grain.
Wind W.—Blowing hard.

HADDINGTON, February 6.

	Wheat.	*Barley.*	*Oats.*	*Peafe.*	*Beans.*
First,	23s 6d	18s 0d	14s 0d	13s 6d	12s 0d
Second,	21s 0d	16s 0d	12s 0d	12s 0d	12s 6d
Third,	20s 0d	13s 0d	10s 0d	9s 6d	10s 0d

MONEY WANTED.

WANTED at present, or betwixt and Whitsunday next, TWO THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED POUNDS Ster-ling, on Heritable Security over the Estate of WOOD-HALL.—The estate is at present rented at upwards of 500l. per annum, and lies within five miles of Edinburgh.

For particulars apply to William Dallas, writer to the signet.

LANDS IN STIRLING-SHIRE.

To be SOLD by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Cof-feehouse, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 8th day of February curt. between the hours of one and three afternoon,

THE LANDS and ESTATE of BALLINDALLOCH and others, lying in the parishes of Balfron and Killearn, and county of Stirling with the VILLAGE of BALFRON, and Feu-duties therein.

The lands are all inclosed, and the houses and offices on the different farms in excellent condition. They are situated on the banks of the water of Endrick, and are intersected by the great turnpike roads leading to Glasgow, Stirling, and Dumbarton, from all which places they are nearly equally distant.

The present rental, including the feus at Balfron, is 876l. and the public burdens are paid by the tenants. The lands of Ballindalloch hold of the Crown, and are valued in the cess-books at 473l.; the remainder hold of subjects superior.

The feus in the village of Balfron are yearly increasing, and are supported by an extensive printfield and cotton mill upon the estate. The farms are very improveable, and a rise on ma-ny of them may be expected in a few years, when several of the old leases expire.

There is a good mansion-house on the estate, surrounded with a great deal of valuable old timber, consisting chiefly of Oak and Beech, and the lands abound with a variety of game—If these lands are not sold together they will be divided into three lots.

ALSO,

The Lands of BALWILL, situated on the great military road from Stirling to Dumbarton, and adjoining to Ballendal-loch. These lands hold feu of his Grace the Duke of Argyle, for payment of the sum of 3l. 6s 8d. Sterling. The lower part consists of a remarkable fine grazing farm, and the upper of ar-able land, muir, &c.

The present rental of both is 210l. and the public burthens, except the teind to the College of Glasgow, are paid by the te-nants.

These lands are highly improveable, and afford an excellent situation for an inn, on the great road above mentioned, be-twixt Stirling and Dumbarton. They also abound with game.

If purchasers incline, these lands will be divided into two lots;

LIKEWISE,

The Lands of BANKIER, NEWLANDS, BLAIRSKAITH EASTER, and LANGSHOT, lying in the parishes of Campsie and Baldernock, held of a subject superior, with the benefit of two leases, the one of the Coal and Lime of Boyd's Burn and Neuk, for 27 years from the term of Whitsunday 1791, and the other from the Feuers of Balgrochan, and the proprietor of Orchard, for 19 years from Whitsunday 1792.

These lands afford plenty of Coal and Lime, and are most advantageously situated for an extensive sale of both.

The present rent of the Lands is 310l. and of the Coal and Lime, including the leases, 395l. besides a considerable part not at present let.—The public burthens are payable by the pro-prietor, and there is a tack-duty for the lease of 85l. per annum.

These lands will be exposed in three lots.

Further information may be had by applying to James Bu-chan, W. S. Edinburgh, Benjamin Mathie, writer in Glasgow or Gilbert Hamilton, merchant there, the trustee.

... ARRANGEMENTS.

ABSTRACT of the PROCEEDINGS of the LORDS of the TREASURY on the matters referred to their conſideration by PARLIAMENT, relative to the propoſed alterations and economical arrangements in the PUBLIC OFFICES.

CUSTOMS.—The firſt office to which their Lordſhip's attantion has been turned is that of the Cuſtoms, in which various alterations and modifications are propoſed to take place, the moſt material of which are the following—1. The abolition of many of the fees taken at preſent, particularly on out door buſineſs: 2. The entire abolition of Hollidays in that office: 3. The regular weekly tranſmiſſion of monies from Scotland to the hands of the Receiver-General of the Cuſtoms in England.—For ſome of theſe beneficial purpoſes, inſtructions are given to the Solicitor to prepare a bill for the inſpection of Parliament. Recompence is, however, to be made to the preſent incumbents for any loſs that may be ſuſtained by the alteration.

EXCISE.—The ſecond object is the office of Exciſe. Here the primary conſideration is the great expence of law charges, particularly thoſe incurred for the laſt year which according to accounts produced, amounted to upwards of 12,000l. the Solicitor's emoluments on which are ſtated at 5,826l. 12s. 1d. To this article of expenditure, particular attention is in future to be paid. In this department, likewiſe, much diſſatisfaction is expreſſed, from the detention of the remittances from Scotland, together with ſome particular modes for the prevention of the like in future. Reſpecting the abolition of hollidays in this office, nothing is yet recommended,

STAMP OFFICE.—The firſt object of attention in this office appears to be the great increaſe of incidental expences, particularly for Scotland: The next appears to be an order, that in future all perſons accepting places in this office ſhall do their duty perſonally; to which are to be added ſeveral economical variations reſpecting the emoluments of ſtamp diſtributors. In ſhort, it is recommended that a complete alteration ſhall take place in the management of this branch of revenue; a bill for which purpoſe is to be brought into Parliament.

POST-OFFICE.—The next objection to which their Lordſhips have turned their attention is the Poſt-office, in which a great number of alterations are propoſed, particularly reſpecting the receipts, diſburſements, &c. more eſpecially under the foreign department, packet-hire, inſurance, &c. Theſe being from their nature very complex, a proper idea of the propoſed retrenchments cannot at preſent be exhibited.

TAX-OFFICE.—The inveſtigation reſpecting the tax-office, which comes next under conſideration, is principally confined to the powmage allowance made to the various country receivers.

The SALT OFFICE is to be totally aboliſhed, and its duties transferred to the Exciſe, agreeably to the recommendation of the Finance Committee.

The HAWKERS and PEDLARS, and the HACKNEY-COACH OFFICES are likewiſe propoſed to be aboliſhed, and placed under the Commiſſioners for taxes.

PENSION DUTIES.—Some alterations are propoſed to be made in the receipt of the penſion duties, to prevent the retention of thoſe duties ſo long a time in the hands of the Receivers as at preſent.

TREASURY-OFFICE.—The only alteration in this office is the total abolition of the new-year's gift in future; poſitive orders to which effect have been iſſued by the Commiſſioners.

The Offices of the SECRETARIES of STATE and the ADMIRALTY are to be brought under the conſideration of Parliament at an early period.

TRANSPORT-OFFICE.—One ſource of emolument, namely, a per-centage on a ſhip's final ſettlement of her accounts, is ordered to be aboliſhed.

The arrangements in the WAR-OFFICE are poſtponed till the meeting of Parliament, as are thoſe of the Ordnance.

The EXCHEQUER.—In this office, various modifications are propoſed, eſpecially for the purpoſe of bringing public accounts forward, and for the recovery of balances in their hands.

SEQUESTRATIONS, &c.

January 26. ALEXANDER LAUDER, farmer and cattle dealer at Dron.—Creditors to meet in the Mrs Gordon, vintner, Dundee, February 10th, at noon, to chuſe an interim factor; and ſame place and hour, March 2d, to chuſe a truſtee.

January 27. DAVID BRYDEN, writer and merchant in Beith.—Creditors to meet in John Wilſon's, vintner there, February 6th, at noon, to chuſe an interim factor; and ſame place and hour, March 6th, to chuſe a truſtee.

January 27. JOHN ALEXANDER, wright and cabinetmaker in Ayr.—Creditors to meet in Mrs White's, vintner there, February 9th, at noon, to chuſe an interim factor; and ſame place and hour, March 9th, to chuſe a truſtee.

Creditors of ALLAN M'LEAN of Drimnin, Eſq. and Lieut.-Colonel CHARLES M'LEAN of Kinlochaline, his ſon, to meet in John's Coffeehouſe, February 12th, at noon, to chuſe a common agent.

—— of PETER FORRESTER and Co. merchants in Leith and Edinburgh, to ſee ſtate of their affairs with Robert Allan, accountant in Edinburgh, until February 21ſt, when a meeting will be held in Royal Exchange, Coffeehouſe, at one P. M. to inſtruct truſtee.

TO CREDITORS.

INTIMATION is hereby given to the Creditors of the late WILLIAM WILSON of Soonhope, that the diviſion formerly advertiſed to take place at the preſent term of Candlemas, will begin to be paid on Monday next, at the office of Henry Johnſon Wylie, writer, No. 30, North Caſtle Street, where the Creditors will pleaſe call for their dividends any lawful day, Saturday excepted, from eleven to two o'clock.

EDINR. Feb. 2. 1798.

To the CREDITORS of JOHN WATT and COMPANY, late Merchants in Edinburgh.

THE Truſt Diſponees of the Company requeſt the whole Creditors to attend, either perſonally or by ſome perſon properly authoriſed, a general Meeting to be held within the Warehouſe lately poſſeſſed by the Company, at the foot of Heriot's Bridge, Graſsmarket of Edinburgh, upon Monday the 5th day of February next, at one o'clock afternoon, when the truſtees will lay before the creditors a ſtate of the affairs under their management, and ſubmit to their conſideration matters of conſequence to the general intereſt.

The truſtees will be enabled by the 8th day of March next to make a conſiderable dividend. But as ſeveral of the creditors have not yet lodged their grounds of debt, with affidavits upon the verity, the truſtees requeſt that theſe creditors will immediately lodge the ſame either with Meſſ. Vallance and Menelaws, at the warehouſe, or with John Gray, writer Paterſon's Court otherwiſe they will not be included in the propoſed dividend.

And as ſundry debtors of the Company have neglected to make payment of the ſums owing by them, they are hereby certified, that unleſs payment is made either to Mr Vallance, or Mr Menelaws, at the warehouſe in Heriot's Bridge, before the 8th of February next, actions will be immediately thereafter raiſed againſt them for enforcing payment.

Edinburgh, 15th January, 1798.

FARM IN THE STEWARTRY OF KIRKCUDBRIGHT
TO LET.

To be Let, for ſuch a number of years as may be agreed upon, and entered to at Whitſunday next,

THE Farm of BRUGH, part of the eſtate of Mains of Southwick, lying in the pariſh of Colvend, and ſtewartry of Kirkcudbright, containing 145 acres, or thereabout, of arable, paſture, and meadow grounds, which will either be let for paſture or crop, as offerers incline. The whole is in old graſs, except about 12 acres, which was plowed laſt year.

As alſo, ſeveral GRASS FIELDS adjoining to the ſaid farm, which will be let either ſeparately, or along with the farm, as offerers may incline.

Propoſals, in writing, may be given in to Henry Jardine, writer to the ſignet, Edinburgh; William Laidlaw, writer, Dumfries; or Thomas Jeffreys at Mains, who will inform as to particulars. William Baird on the farm will ſhew the premiſes.

A FARM TO LET.

To be Let for nineteen years,

THE FARM of BOGEND, at Noble Houſe, in the pariſh of Newlands and ſhire of Peebles, conſiſting of 123 Scots acres of arable land or thereby, 27 acres of paſture, and 18 acres more of paſture planted with firs. Poſſeſſion may be had immediately.

Offers in writing may be given in to the proprietor, Lieutenant-Colonel Veitch at Elliock, Mr T. Douglas at Holmhill by Thornhill, or to A. Kincaid Tate, writer, Royal Exchange, Edinburgh, either of whom will ſhow plans and meaſurements of the lands, and inform as to particulars regarding improvements, &c.

SHEEP FARM.

THE FARM of BALINTYRE, within one mile of Inveraray, is to be LET by roup, for Nineteen Years from next Whitſunday, within the inn at Inveraray, upon Thurſday the 15th day of March next, at mid-day.

It contains about 2000 acres, and is well ſituated as to markets for every thing that can be produced from it.

The conditions of ſet, and other particulars, will be explained by the Chamberlain of Argyll, at Inveraray, or by Mr Ferrier, writer to the ſignet, Edinburgh.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC ROUP,

Within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouſe, Edinburgh, on Wedneſday the 25th April next, at one o'clock afternoon,

THE FOLLOWING FARMS, part of the Lands and Eſtate of GLESPIN, lying in the pariſh of Crawfordjohn and ſhire of Lanark, viz.

Farms.	*Tenants Names.*	*Rents.*
Bottom,	Thomas M'Michael,	L. 22 10
Greenburn,	James Sloan,	36 0
Shawhead,	William Chiſholm,	63 0
Slimingford,	John French,	16 5
Shirriſcleugh,	George Chiſholm,	26 6
		L. 163 15

If they do not ſell in one lot, they will be expoſed in ſeparate farms, as purchaſers may incline.

The above farms are well-known to be ſure ſtore farms; and on the expiry of the preſent leaſes, conſiderable riſes in the rent, will be got.—They abound with lead, coal, iron-ſtone and other minerals.

Application may be made to Mr M'Morran at Balfron, or Thomas Smith, writer, Argyle's Square, Edinburgh, with either of whom a private bargain may be made betwixt and the day of ſale.

LANDS IN TWEEDDALE.

To be LET by public voluntary roup, at twelve o'clock, on the firſt Tueſday of March, within the houſe of Miſs Ritchie vintner in Peebles, upon a leaſe for nineteen years from Whitſunday next,

THE LANDS OF GRIESTON, ORCHARD, BROOM, and BIRKS, lying in the pariſh of Traquaire, and county of Peebles, as preſently poſſeſſed by Thomas and James Saltons, except that part of Grieſton called the Eaſt and Weſt Slate Dales, lately ſet in leaſe by private bargain, along with the farm of Howford. Theſe lands will be expoſed to roup in the following lots or farms, viz.

I. The whole of ORCHARD and BIRKS, and part of GRIESTON, BROOM, and RIGG, as divided from the remainder thereof, on the north, by a line running from the Warlock's Know weſtward, through the Upper Slate Quarry, to the march of Cardrona. This lot contains about 1200 acres of ſheep paſture, with many hundred acres of arable land, of an excellent quality, highly improveable, and a great part of it particularly well ſuited for the turnip and clover huſbandry.—Taking it altogether, it is perhaps as well calculated for rearing and fattening ſheep of the moſt improved breeds as any ground in the ſouth of Scotland, the farm being laid out for ſhelter in every direction, and for affording the richeſt and earlieſt graſs.

II. The GROUND ſurrounding the preſent Steading of Grieſton, bounded on the weſt by the march with Cardrona and the Slate Dale—on the north by the road from Cardrona to Traquaire—on the eaſt by a line beginning at the ſaid road, about 210 yards to the eaſt of the houſes of Slater-hall, and running nearly ſouth through the centre of the Old Camp, till it joins the line from Warlock's Know to Cardrona, which bounds it on the ſouth. This Lot conſiſts of about 330 Engliſh acres.

III. All the reſt of the ſaid GROUND of GRIESTON and BROOM, lying to the eaſt of Lot II. except about ten acres of a field in Broom, called the FORESIDE. This lot contains about 380 Engliſh acres, and both it and Lot II. conſiſt of a fine dry early ſoil, well adapted for all kinds of crops, and every ſpecies of huſbandry.

The whole three lots comprehend about 2123 Scots, or 2547 Engliſh acres, which would make a very capital and deſirable farm for one tenant, and may be laid together by his offering for each ſeparately at the roup, or for the whole previouſly.—The numbers and quality of the holding of the ſheep walk belonging to this farm, is the beſt proof of its value; and the preſent tenants are willing to give over this ſtocking by appraiſement at Whitſunday next.

AS ALSO,

The SLATE QUARRY of GRIESTON. It is ſituated about mid-way between the two county towns of Peebles and Selkirk, and lies well for Edinburgh conſumpt, and for an inland ſale in all directions, and the quality is known to be excellent. It can be entered to immediately, ſo as to have ſlate ready for the ſpring and ſummer ſale, and the tackſman may be accommodated with a farm of more or leſs extent at Whitſunday next. The whole of Lot 2d lies very convenient for this Quarry.

Spirited and improving tenants will get every reaſonable encouragement; and in caſe any of the lots be diſpoſed of by private bargain, immediate notice thereof will be given to the public.

The premiſſes will be ſhewn, and the lines of diviſion pointed out, by Thomas and James Saltouns, the preſent poſſeſſors, and by Francis Scott, tenant in the adjoining farm of Damhead; and perſons inclining to treat privately, may ſend propoſals and offers in writing to Andrew Steuart, jun. writer to the ſignet, for all or any of the lots betwixt and the day of roup.

N. B. Mr Steuart has power to conclude a private bargain for the ſale of CRAIG-DOUGLAS, BLACKHOUSE, and EASTERBOLD, whereof the particulars were lately advertiſed. A purchaſer may enter to the natural poſſeſſion of Eaſterbold at Whitſunday next, as the preſent leaſe is now bought up.

LANDS OF HYNDHOPE.

To be SOLD by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouſe, Edinburgh, on Wedneſday the 21ſt February 1798, between the hours of two and three afternoon,

THE Lands of HYNDHOPE, lying within the pariſh of Yarrow, and ſhire of Selkirk. Theſe lands are delightfully ſituated on the banks of Ettrick; and there are ſeveral charming ſituations on them, either for a manſion-houſe or farm ſteading. They are well known to be a moſt capital ſheep farm, capable of great improvement.

The purchaſer may enter into the full poſſeſſion at Whitſunday firſt.

They afford a freehold qualification for the ſhire of Selkirk.

For particulars, apply to Mr John Lang, writer in Selkirk, Mr A. Cunningham, No. 37, George Street, Edinburgh, or James Gibſon, W. S. who will ſhew the title-deeds and articles of ſale.

A private bargain may be made before the day of ſale.

AT LEITH—FOR LONDON,
The Union Shipping Company's Smack,
KELSO PACKET,
JAMES WATSON Maſter,

Will take in goods till Thurſday morning, at eight o'clock, when ſhe will poſitively ſail.

Union Shipping Company's Office,
LEITH, 3d February 1798.

BY ADJOURNMENT.

To be SOLD, within John's Coffeehouſe, Edinburgh, on Thurſday the 15th of February curt. at one o'clock afternoon,

I. THE VILLA of BROUGHTON PARK, lying on the north ſide, and in the immediate vicinity of Edinburgh, conſiſting of 3 acres, 2 roods, 37 falls, all well incloſed, at preſent occupied moſtly in nurſery.

Upon the premiſſes are a commodious neat Manſion-houſe, Garden, and ſuitable offices, poſſeſſed by Andrew Leſlie ſeedſman in Edinburgh, the proprietor, beſides a ſmaller dwelling-houſe, ſmall garden, &c. occupied by tenants.

II. The Property at PORTOBELLO, lying about three miles eaſt from Edinburgh, upon the ſea-ſhore, belonging to James Cunningham, writer in Edinburgh; aſcertained by a plan and meaſurement to conſiſt of 4 acres 2 roods and 4 falls, well fenced with ſtone walls, and laid out in three ſeparate incloſures ſurrounded with gardens, ſhrubbery, &c. with the privilege of a [road] from the high road to the ſea, along the outſide of the eaſt boundary of the property.

In the ſouthermoſt incloſure adjoining to the Muſſelburgh road, there is a neat commodious dwelling-houſe. And in the north incloſure upon the ſea ſide, there is alſo a neat dwelling-houſe, commonly known by the name of *Portobello Tower*, with proper offices, &c.

The premiſſes are moſt particularly well adapted for bathing quarters, and may either be occupied in the manner they preſently are, or converted into three ſeparate villas, the middle incloſure affording a delightful ſituation for a houſe.

III. The MANSION-HOUSE of Bridge Caſtle, in Linlithgowſhire, and ground around it, conſiſting of nine acres one rood and ſeven falls, all ſubſtantially incloſed, with a garden well ſtocked with choice fruit trees, a pigeon-houſe, and ſuitable offices, lying about three meaſured miles from Linlithgow, and two from Bathgate, upon the new road leading from Linlithgow to the new Glaſgow road, which affords a moſt convenient acceſs.

The Manſion-houſe is ſubſtantial, and would be a very comfortable reſidence for a genteel family, being large, ſurrounded by fine old trees, pleaſantly ſituated upon a good trouting water, which paſſes under the garden wall, and in the centre of a ſporting country.

Mr Leſlie will ſhow the premiſſes at Broughton Park;—and the ſervants at Portobello and Bridge Caſtle thoſe there.

For further information, perſons inclining to purchaſe may apply to Donald M'Laine, ſeedſman in Edinburgh, truſtee for the creditors of Meſſ. Leſlie and Cunningham, or to Alexander Forſyth, writer in Edinburgh, in whoſe hands the articles of roup, title deeds, and plans of the ſubjects, and ſearches for incumbrances may be ſeen.

A VILLA
IN THE VICINITY OF EDINBURGH.

To be SOLD, by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouſe, Edinburgh, upon Wedneſday the 4th day of April next, at two o'clock afternoon,

THE HOUSE and GROUNDS of LIXMOUNT, with the Office houſes, Garden, &c. pleaſantly ſituated upon the lands of Trinity Mains, within two meaſured miles of the city of Edinburgh, one mile of Leith, and a few minutes walk of the Frith of Forth, and conſequently very convenient for ſea-bathing.

The Houſe, which commands very extenſive views, and is ſurrounded with a lawn and ſhrubbery, conſiſts of a dining-room, a drawing-room, a parlour, four bed-rooms, with a dreſſing-room to each, an oval room 25 by 18 feet, in the attic ſtorey; a kitchen, a launday, a ſervants hall, cellars, and other conveniencies.

The office-houſes conſiſt of a barn, two ſtables, a byre, hay lofts, apartments for ſervants, and ſundry other conveniencies.

The garden contains about an acre of ground, the north ſide whereof is fenced with a wall 15 feet high, covered with fruit trees of the beſt kinds and qualities.

The grounds are divided into five ſmall incloſures all walled in, and the premiſſes are plentifully ſupplied with water from ſeveral pump-wells and ponds which have have been dug in different parts of the grounds, as alſo from a rivulet which forms the ſouth boundary thereof.

For further particulars, apply to Harry Davidſon, writer to the ſignet, No. 11. ſouth Hanover Street, or to George Andrew, writer in Edinburgh.

TO BUILDERS AND OTHERS.

To be SOLD, by public roup, on Monday the 12th day of February curt. within John's Coffeehouſe, between the hours of five and ſix afternoon,

THAT DWELLING-HOUSE conſiſting of two ſtoreys and garrets, poſſeſſed by Mr Johnſton, teacher, with the back and fore ground, and offices thereto belonging, all within itſelf, lying in the back row, part of Nicolſon's Park oppoſite to Richmond Place.

As alſo, ſeveral Small Houſes adjoining to the above property, with a large area behind, and a wright's ſhop thereon.

This property meaſuring in front about 124 feet, is a moſt eligible ſituation for building on, or for erecting any kind of manufactory, as it is within five minutes walk ſouth from the Tron Church, and has an eaſy acceſs for any kind of carriages. The back area of lot 2d would anſwer remarkable well for coach-houſes and ſtables. If purchaſers incline both lots will be put up together.

The feu-duty for the whole property is trifling; and for the encouragement of intending purchaſers, if ſold in one lot, the upſet price will be 525l.—a ſum offered and refuſed many years ago.

Alſo, a SUB FEU-DUTY of 1l. 1s. 8d. payable furth of conſiderable property adjoining to the foreſaid.—To be ſet up at twenty-one years purchaſe.

For further particulars apply to Hamilton Bell, writer to the ſignet, in whoſe hands will be ſeen the title-deeds, articles of ſale, and plan of the ground.

LANDS IN WIGTONSHIRE.

To be SOLD by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouſe, Edinburgh, upon Wedneſday the 16th day of May, at two o'clock afternoon,

THE FOLLOWING SUBJECTS IN LOTS:

LOT I.

THE Lands and Eſtate of BALSARROCH, lying within the pariſh of Kirkcolm, and ſhire of Wigton, conſiſting of 530 acres, moſtly arable, and capable of great improvement, the means of which may be eaſily procured from a pool in the neighbourhood.

The preſent rent is only 246l. One of the farms is out of leaſe. The leaſes of three other ſmall farms expire at Whitſunday 1799, and the others at Whitſunday 1806, when a conſiderable riſe may be expected. The lands are incloſed and ſubdivided; they hold feu of a ſubject for payment of 10s. yearly of feu-duty. The ſtipend payable to the miniſter is 3l. 7s. which very nearly exhauſts the teinds, which are valued, and to which the proprietor has a right.

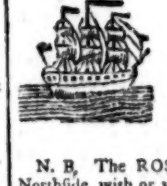
LOT II.

The Superiority and Feu-Duties of certain HOUSES, lying in the pariſh of Stranraer, the particulars whereof will be afterwards given.

LOT III.

The SIXTH PART of the Seven Acres of Land or thereby called the Seven Acres, ſituated within the territory of the burgh of Dumfries, and of that large Tenement of Houſes and Garden in the Kirkgate of Dumfries which formerly pertained to the deceaſed Lieutenant Robert Corſan of Muklennox. The ſeven acres are incloſed, and ſubdivided into different incloſures. They are beautifully ſituated upon the banks of the Nith, and garden adjoining to the houſe is large, and may be feued out to advantage for building upon.

James M'Creadie will ſhow the eſtate of Balfarroch; and thoſe wiſhing to be informed of farther particulars, and to ſee the articles of ſale and title-deeds, may apply to Thomas Adair, clerk to the ſignet, Edinburgh.



CONVOY FOR JAMAICA,

A Convoy being appointed to ſail from Spithead the 11th of February, for Jamaica,

THE PERSEVERANCE,
LAURENCE STRONG Maſter,

WILL poſitively ſail from Leith Road for Kingſton, the 6th of February, in order to join ſaid convoy. Paſſengers and others intereſted are hereby deſired to take notice of this intimation.

N. B. The ROSELLE will ſail the 10th February, for Northſide, with or without convoy.

Apply to William Sibbald and Co.

TO BE SOLD BY PRIVATE BARGAIN,

THE following SUBJECTS in the North Eaſt Corner of the HIGH SCHOOL YARDS, viz.

I. That LODGING of three ſtories, with the graſs plots thereto belonging, as preſently poſſeſſed by Lady Dalziel, at the rent of L.42 Sterling, conſiſting of a kitchen, pantry, ſervants room, cellars, and water pipe, and other conveniencies in the ſunk ſtorey—a dining-room, parlour, and three bed-chambers on the firſt floor—and of an elegant drawing-room and four bed-chambers, beſides cloſets, on the ſecond floor.

The laſt mentioned flat may, at very ſmall expence, be detached from the two under ſtories, and poſſeſſed ſeparately, as it has the benefit of an entry from a ſtair caſe, built as a communication to the upper ſtories of the tenement, and at the ſame time to anſwer the purpoſe of a common ſtair to the tenement to be built on the adjoining area.

II. The LODGING or DWELLING-HOUSE, being the upper and attic ſtories of the before mentioned tenement, with the pertinents, as preſently poſſeſſed by Mr Neilſon ſurgeon, at the yearly rent of L.21 Sterling, upon a leaſe of which there are about 17 years to run.

Along with the premiſes there will be Sold, a STABLE, containing three ſtalls and hay-loft, rent L.3.

III. A BUILDING AREA of about 36 feet in front, by 60 feet deep, adjoining to the above tenement, with the benefit of the common ſtair caſe before mentioned.

The whole premiſes pay of yearly feu-duty L.4 4s. and will be ſold together or ſeparately, as purchaſers may incline.

Apply to John Tawſe writer, St James's Square, Edinburgh.

SUBJECTS IN AND ABOUT EDINBURGH
FOR SALE.

To be SOLD by public voluntary roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouſe, Edinburgh, upon Friday the 16th day of February 1798, at ſix o'clock afternoon,

I.—A DWELLING-HOUSE, Offices and Garden, part of the Lands of Newington, preſently poſſeſſed, but not under leaſe, by David Littlejohn, Eſq. AS ALSO, Another Dwelling-houſe, and Park, adjoining to Mr Littlejohn's poſſeſſion, conſiſting of upwards of half a Scots acre, preſently poſſeſſed by Mr Francis MacNab, upon a leaſe which has ſeven-at years to run, but with privilege to the purchaſer to remove the tenant at Candlemas 1801. This property, lying on the eaſt ſide of the road from Edinburgh to Libberton Kirk, &c. within 15 minutes walk of the Croſs, extends about 270 in front along ſaid road, and 170 in depth in the greateſt part of it, and ſeems well ſuited either for building a row of contiguous houſes, with convenient back areas or gardens, or for one or more villas towards the centre of the ground, and at ſome diſtance from the road.

II.—An INCLOSURE at Sciennes, conſiſting of about 2¼ acres Scotch meaſure, preſently poſſeſſed by Mr Lawſon as a nurſery garden, under a ſub-leaſe from the ſaid Mr Francis MacNab, with the privilege to the purchaſer of removing both tenant and ſub-tenant at Candlemas 1801. This incloſure, having two entries to it, the one from the Sciennes Loan or road leading to Burntsfield, and the other from Libberton road oppoſite to lot I. is of excellent ſoil, calculated either for a fruit or nurſery garden, and might alſo be an eligible ſituation for a villa, with garden and ſhrubbery, the expoſure being to the ſouth, and commanding in that direction a free, extenſive, and beautiful proſpect of the adjacent country.

III.—The GOLF-HOUSE, Garden, Offices, and Conveniencies, at the eaſt end of Burntsfield Links, preſently poſſeſſed by Mrs Campbell and others, but not under leaſe, extending to 3 roods, 15 falls and upwards, Scotch meaſure. This property, at a ſmall expence, is capable of great improvement, whether it be continued as a tavern, and let for country rooms as it is now employed, or be converted into the reſidence of a private family.

IV.—A DWELLING HOUSE in Skinner's Cloſe, being the Second Flat or Story of Learmonth's Land in ſaid Cloſe, with a cellar end pertinents, preſently poſſeſſed, but not under leaſe, by Mr M'Naughton, tailor

V.—A DWELLING-HOUSE at the head of Leith Wynd, being the Second Story or Flat up the firſt turnpike ſtair on the eaſt ſide of ſaid Wynd, preſently poſſeſſed, but not under leaſe, by Mr John Robertſon, ſilver ſmith.

VI.—A BAKEHOUSE and ESTABLISHED OVEN, with Cellars, Vaults, and appurtenances, entering from the High Street of Edinburgh, at the head, and on the eaſt ſide of Halkerſton's Wynd; with Apartments above the Oven, entering by Kinloch's Cloſe; and a DWELLING-HOUSE, lying within the head of Halkerſton's Wynd, being the firſt ſtorey or flat up the firſt turnpike on the eaſt ſide of the Wynd, with cellars and coal nitch thereto belonging. Together, alſo, with a Cellar further down the cloſe, and incloſing the outſide of the ſaid oven; all preſently poſſeſſed under a leaſe current to Whitſunday 1811, by Mr Murray, baker.

VII.—A DWELLING-HOUSE, being the Firſt Story or Flat up the ſcale ſtair of the great fore land at the head of Dickſon's Cloſe, preſently poſſeſſed by Mr William Pearſon, with ſundry Garret Rooms at the top of the ſaid ſcale ſtair in poſſeſſion of different tenants.

VIII.—A DWELLING-HOUSE & SHOP in ſaid great fore land at the head of Dickſon's Cloſe, immediately under lot VII. entering both from the High Street by a fore ſtair, and from Dickſon's Cloſe, and a Dwelling-Houſe and cellar below the ſame, and vault under the pavement, all poſſeſſed, under a leaſe current to Whitſunday 1799, by Miſs Pillans, milliners, or ſub-tenants from them, with ſundry Vaults, Cellars, and Lumber Lofts, on the weſt ſide of Dickſon's Cloſe, poſſeſſed by Mr Burns, and a ſmall Booth or Shop below the fore ſtair, to the weſt of Miſs Pillans ſhop.

IX.—A DWELLING-HOUSE in Libberton's Wynd, being the Second Flat or Storey within the turnpike of Bruce's Land, lying on the eaſt ſide of the Wynd, with the cellar and pertinents thereto belonging, preſently poſſeſſed, but not under leaſe, by Mr George Caw, printer.

The term of the purchaſer's entry to the whole premiſſes to be at Whitſunday next, at which term, or three months later, if required, the prices will be payable, and will bear intereſt from ſaid term of Whitſunday.

The tenants of the reſpective tenements will ſhow them to enquirers; and the conditions of ſale, title deeds, rental, and leaſes of the premiſſes, with plans and meaſurments of lot I, II, and III, are in the hands of Richard Hotchkis, writer to the ſignet, to whom application may be made for all particulars.

N. B. The Farm of BROOMPARK, in the pariſh of Torphichen, and ſhire of Linlithgow, will alſo ſoon be advertiſed for ſale.

LANDS IN DUMBARTONSHIRE,
To be Sold by private bargain,

THE Lands of GORTAN and CRAGGAN, in the pariſh of Row, extending to about four hundred acres (whereof upwards of thirty acres are covered with thriving wood,) and pleaſantly ſituated on the ſouth banks of Loch Long, about twenty miles from Dumbarton, on the new road to Inverary. The wood lies moſt conveniently for water carriage, on the ſide of the Loch. The Lands are out of leaſe, and have been for ſome years poſſeſſed by a tenant from year to year, ſo that a conſiderable riſe of rent may be expected.

Apply to Robert Grahame, writer in Glaſgow.

Not to be repeated.

COUNTY OF FORFAR.
Leaſe of a Mill in the neighbourhood of Brechine.

To be LET for ſuch a number of years as may be agreed on, and entered to at Whitſunday or Martinmas next,

THE EAST MILL of BRECHINE, with as much Land as may be wanted, for the accommodation of the tenant.

The ſituation of this Mill, being at the end of the town of Brechine, and having the command of the whole water of the river Southeſk, is moſt eligible for any machinery.

Apply to Charles Greenhill, Eſq. at Old Montroſe, by Montroſe.

☞ There are alſo ſeveral FARMS to be LET in the neighbourhood of Brechine, concerning which application may be made to Mr Greenhill.

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